



# Shadwell Food Ambassadors

## Minutes of Meeting 28 January 2022

In Attendance: Mr Rugg and Food Ambassadors

### **We welcomed our new Food Ambassadors:**

We are delighted to announce the following children are our Food Ambassadors this year:

Year 3 – Noah & Lolita

Year 4 – Tia & Ruben

Year 5 – Sienna & Ethan

Year 6 – James, Bella, Kaya, Olivia

### **Lunchtimes:**

We recently returned to family lunchtimes with mixed tables sitting together. We were all really pleased about this and think it is great that the older children will be able to help the younger children more and set a good example for table manners. We have noticed some of the fruit gets wasted so are going to ask Mrs Greenfield if we can have different types of fruit occasionally.

### **Table of the week:**

Once everybody has adjusted to the family sittings we will re-introduce table of the week after half-term. Food Ambassadors will be looking out for tables that are sat nicely, helping each other, talking quietly and tidying up sensibly. Table of the week children will receive house points and stickers and get to have a special table cloth for the week. They will also get to stand up in special assemblies when these start again.

### **New menu:**

After half-term, a new menu will be introduced which includes more vegetarian options and more favourites as voted for by children across Leeds. Mrs Greenfield explained she will trial the new menu for a few weeks then will take feedback from the children to see if she can make any improvements. Please let the Food Ambassadors know if you have any opinions about the new menu when it starts.

### **Packed lunches:**

We discussed how we used to encourage children to bring healthy food in their packed lunches but since Covid, this has not been happening as much. Children are only supposed to bring 'treats' on a Friday and should not have crisps, chocolate or unhealthy foods during the week. The Food Ambassadors are going to do some more work on this to ensure everybody is eating as healthily as possible. We suggested maybe bringing treats on 2 days as school dinners have a pudding most days. What do you think?

Please speak to a Food Ambassador if you have any thoughts about these issues or anything else to do with lunches.

Thank you!